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Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER SONYJP 3.0-763 Art Unit Application No. Filing Date Examiner March 28, 2001 2621 09/819,190-Conf. #2916 D. J. Czekaj Applicant(s): Kazushi Sato, Kuniaki Takahashi, Teruhiko Suzuki, and Shinya Kato Invention: PICTURE INFORMATION CONVERSION METHOD AND APPARATUS TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. CLAIMS AS AMENDED Claims Highest Remaining Number Number **Previously** Extra Claims After Amendment Paid Present Rate Total Claims 23 32 Independent 2 3 = Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within third month 1.050.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 1,050.00 **Small Entity** x Large Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. X Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 1,050.00 in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-1095 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x | Credit any overpayment. x Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: May 13, 2008 Davy E. Zoneraich Attorney/Agent Reg/No.: 37,267 LERNER, DAVID, LITTENBERG, KRUMHOLZ & MENTLIK, LLP 600 South Avenue West Westfield, New Jersey 07090 (908) 518-6355 I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. MS Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Dated: May 13, 2008 Signature: (Davy E. Zoneraich)